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IMAGE FORMING TONER, 2-COMPONENT DEVELOPER, IMAGE

FORMING METHOD AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING

**IMAGE FORMING TONER** 

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## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2003, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.